



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 United States Patent and Trademark Office
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
 www.uspto.gov

BIBDATASHEET**CONFIRMATION NO. 8197**

Bib Data Sheet

SERIAL NUMBER 10/625,546	FILING DATE 07/24/2003 RULE	CLASS 257	GROUP ART UNIT 2811	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. YMOR:294
-----------------------------	---------------------------------------	--------------	------------------------	------------------------------------

APPLICANTS

Yutaka Hirose, Nagaokakyo-shi, JAPAN;

Yoshito Ikeda, Ibaraki-shi, JAPAN;
 Kaoru Inoue, Ootsu-shi, JAPAN;

** CONTINUING DATA ***** ☒

** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS ***** ☒
 JAPAN 2002-216296 07/25/2002

IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED
 ** 03/18/2004

Foreign Priority claimed <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no	STATE OR COUNTRY JAPAN	SHEETS DRAWING 6	TOTAL CLAIMS 4	INDEPENDENT CLAIMS 2
35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance				
Verified and Acknowledged <u>N. Hirose</u> Examiner's Signature	<u>NI</u> Initials			

ADDRESS
 6160
 PARKHURST & WENDEL, L.L.P.
 1421 PRINCE STREET
 SUITE 210
 ALEXANDRIA , VA
 22314-2805

TITLE
 Contact formation method and semiconductor device

FILING FEE	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT No. _____ for following:	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees
		<input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees (Filing)
		<input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees (Processing Ext. of time)